LOCAL MISCELLANY.

A COLORED WOMAN'S WHILE THE SURROGATE SUSTAINS WIGS. HESDRA'S DISPOSI-TION OF HER FORTUNE.

The centest of the will of Cynthia Headra, a colored woman, who died more than a year and, leaving property worth \$80,000, was finished yesterday by a decision of Surrogate Calvin sustaining the validity of the instrument. Considerable interest has been felt in this litigation, both because the interested persons were colored people and because of the peculiar circumstances under which the contest gross.

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Edward H. Hesera, the busband of the d-cedent and the principal legates under the will, claims to have made the fortune left by his wife, in the cabinet-making business, assisted by some successful real estate investments. He says that as they approached old age, for their mutual protection he decided all the property to her with the understanding that she should make a will giving it all to him again in the event of her death before his. After her death he searched for the will among their papers in their Armitiagest, house and also at the house in which they had lived at Nyack; but it could not be found. Some weeks afterwards Mr. Hesura took to the office of his lawyer, Quentin McAdam, a large bundle of papers from the crawer of a bureau; among these Mr. McAdam was astonished and delighted to find the will which he afterward presented for probate, making Mr. Hesdra sole legatee. Until this time Mr. Hesdra had been trying to make some terias with his wife's heirs, who, if no will were found, would receive the estate which he had saved to his entire exclusion. They had even refused to allow him \$6,000 out of the estate to sustain him during his old age. As som as this will came to light these relative instituted a contest, claiming that it was a forgery. It bore date August 17,1876 and the witnesses were Peter Stephens, at that time a justice of the peace at Nyack, and Isaac W. Canfield, a banker of that place, now dead. It was contended by the contestants that Mr. Stephens entered into a conspiracy with Mr. Hesdra, in accardance with which he forced Mr. Canfield's and Mrs. Hesdra's name to the paper which he drew. There was a great dead of "expect" testimony introduced to show that the body of the will and all the sucantures were written by the same hand. Among the important witnesses against Mr. Hesdra's neather. Many colored persons attended the hearings in court.

The Sarrogate sustains the will Edward H. Hesdra, the busband of the decedent

THE EPISCOPAL CONVENTION. DR. JOHN COTTON SMITH'S RESOLUTIONS APPROVED

-THE PETITION FROM DAKOTA.

The merning prayers, which opened the session yesterday of the Episconal General Convention, were read by the Rev. Dr. George Worthington, of Detroit, and the Rev. Richard F. Sweet, of Il-Ruois. Bishop Neely, of Maine, pronounced the benediction. The Committee on the State of the Church reported favorably on the Rev. Dr. John Cotton Smith's resolution, that churchmen should favor the enforcement of the existing laws and additional legislation against polygamy; also on a resolution othered by him that a committee should be appointed to consider in what particulars the new revision of the Bible, now being churchmen sand additional legislation against to lygamy; also on a resolution of cred lygamy; also on a resolution of cred what committee should be appointed to be believed by the church of the state of the calendar, in the committee should be appointed to the one now in use. Both reports in the calendar, and the committee and cauticles, He had the committee of the Caumittee and the committee, to the reasons of the chairman of the committee, for the reasons of the committee for objecting to the petition in the chairman of the committee, for the reasons of the committee for objecting to the petition. The key, broad had not a bishop now, and it did not pusper had not a bishop now, and the did not pusper had not a bishop now, and the did not pusper had not a bishop now and the petition of the committee, for the reasons of the committee for objecting to the petition. The key had not a bishop now and the petition of the committee, the had not a bishop now and the petition of the committee for objecting to the petition of the pet

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wanted.
It is stated that Mr. Lowber, while standing with It is stated that Mr. Lowier, while standing with the ladies on the stoop, threatened to fire, and they all ran in abarmed. He admitted that he was some-what under the influence of liquor, and was heard to say that he wanted to scare away the crowd which he imagined to be in front of the house.

ADVOCATES OF TEMPERANCE.

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The New-York State Temperance Society will hold a Temperance Congress in this city, beginning December 5, and closing December 12, 1880. The members request all the ministers of New-York, Brooklyn, and the suburbs to cooperate with them by oreaching a temperance sermon Sunday, December 5. Following this for five consecutive evenings there will be mass meetings in Cooper Union, presided over and addressed by prominent ministers, and well-known friends of temperance. Sunday afternoon, December 12, there will be five mass meetings for children and in the evening of that day the Congress will close with as many public meetings as the Society can manage.

STRUGGLE FOR AN OFFICE. STRUGGLE FOR AN OFFICE.

In 1878 Charence T. Barrett was elected Superintendent of the Poor of the town of Castleton, but Daniel Dempsey, whom he was to succeed, refused to vacate the office on the ground that he was elected in 1875 for a term of five years, which entitled him to hold the effice until 1880. After several unsuccessful efforts Barrett succeeded in gaining possession of his office and has since discharged the duties of Superintendent of the Poor of Castleton. In the meantime Dempsey has been fighting Barrett in the Courts. Having been unsuccessful in the Supreme Court he has carried the case to the Court of Appeals, and has served the necessary papers upon Barrett. possession of his office and has since discharged the duties of Superintendent of the Poor of Castleton. In the meantime Dempsey has been fighting Barrett in the Courts. Having been unsuccessful in the Supreme Court he has carried the case to the Court of Appeals, and has served the necessary papers upon Barrett.

MORE WATER FOR BROOKLYN.

Engineer Van Buren, of the Brooklyn Board of City Works, yesterday recommended to Commissioner French the securing of two mill ponds north of Valley Stream pond, in which are stored 10,000,000 gailons of water. The owners offer the use of this at \$3 a day as long as is desirable. No expensive work would be necessary to connect the ponds with the conduit. The cost will be about the ponds with the conduit. The cost will be about

1 cent for 1,000 gallons. Commissioner French said that if the Aldermon failed to favor the proposition he would take the money for the purpose from the Water Maintenance Fund. It will be less than \$100 if no heavy rain occurs for a month.

FEATURES OF THE INSTITUTE FAIR.

Apparently a throng of people as curious and interested as in previous years crowds the asilese of the
American Justitute Fair, but the crowd is larger,
according to the statements of the managers, than
ever before. Yesterday there was a very large attendance, and it was disient to get near to the
most attractive exhibits without waiting for some
time. Coming into the large building, the visitor
is puzzled to know where to begin sight-seeing, and
if wise he will at once relinquish any hope of is puzzled to know where to begin sight-seeing, and if wise he will at once relinquish any hope of being able to investigate fully every feature at one visit. Machinists, farmers, and housekeeners are the three classes that will find the most to please their fastes. In machinery hall the largest crowd surrounds the artesian well borer, a machine similar to those used in the Leadville mines. It has already sunk a shaft 105 feet deep, mostly through solid rock, which contains eighty-five feet of water, and furnishes most of the water used in the building. A second shaft is in progress. A surrdy machine that crushes pieces of rock to any desired size is much wondered at. A "universal grinder," having steel dises, reduces to any degree of fineness a long list of substances, ramming from iron and gold ore to grains, rubber, and shavings, the latter being prepared in this way for bedding the latter being prepared in this way for bedding for horses A cider mill attracts much attention. Turning lathes and scroll saws occupy considerable space, the latter being used for such elaborate work as producing portraits of the Presidential can-

space, the latter being user for said cut and work as preducing portraits of the Presidential candidates.

Many interesting machines are in the main building. Here on the north side is a large number of sewing machines and button-hole sewers, with operators in charge. A machine near these manufactures paper bags from a roll of paper with great rapidity, and here also is an invention that rolls, fills, and gams cigareties. There is a potato masher with the appalling capacity of a bushel in six minutes. Perhaps the most ingenious invention shown is one which receives loos: tobacco in a funcel, weighs it accurately, packs it in cloth bags for the pocket, presses it in shape, and delivers the filled bags at the rate of thirty a minute on a revolving table, where a man stands to draw the months of the bags together, and the operation is finished. A second person is needed to feed the empty bags to the machine. Other attractions are the glass-blowers, the telephones, and type-writers, and the art gallery, containing many photographs and crayon drawings. There is a large exhibit of furniture, with all manner of spring-beds and easy chairs to please the weary. chairs to please the weary.

CHARGED WITH ROBBING HER GUESTS. CHARGED WITH ROBBING HER GUESTS.

A sensation was caused in Orange, N. J., yesterday morning by the arrest of Mrs. Atwood, wtfe of the proprietor of the Mansion House, a fashionable summer hotel, on a charge of robbing the guests of the hotel. For some time the bearders have missed stricles of clothing and jewelry from their rooms, and finally the matter grew so serious that a New-York detective was employed to go to Orange and board at the house, for the purpose of detecting the thief. The detective could discover nothing, and the boarders then called upon Marshal Conroy, of the Orange police force. On Firday Mary Jackson, a colored chambermaid, employed at the Mansion House, was arrested on the charge of steading a valuable ring from the room of Mary Husted, a boarder. The ring was found on the finger of Moses Ballet, a colored man, who said that Mary Jackson had given it to hum. Finday evening Marshal Conroy, accompanied by an officer, went to the Mansion House, and requested all of the boarders to allow their rooms to be searched for stolen articles. They all consented. When the police reached the room of Mrs. Atwood, wife of the proprietor, they found a al consected. When the police reached the room of Mrs. Atwood, wife of the proprietor, they found a valuable garment belonging to Mrs. Holmes, one of

valuable garment belonging to Mcs. Holmes, one of the guests.

The officers remained in the house all night, and yesterday morning took Mrs. Atwood to the police station and locked her up. She stated that her husband had taken the stolen articles, and that they were in New-York. Marshal Conroy came to this city yesterday morning and recovered a number of the stolen articles. Hersaw Mr. Atwood, who charged the theft upon his wife. The husband boards at No. 53 West Twelifthest. Some time ago the Atwoods had their furniture sold to pay their rent. The wife is about thirty-eight years of ago, and is prevossess-

ARRESTING A BANK ROBBER.

Horace Horan, alias "Little Horace," a noforious robber and sneak thief, was brought before Justice Patterson yesterday, at the Tombs Police Court, by Detective Pinkerton, on a charge of complicity in a bank burglary at Middletown, Conn. The detective had a requisition for the prisoner, issued by the Governor of that State. The Justice surrendered Horan to the detective's custody, and he was at once taken out of the court-room by the court officers and put on a Bleecker-st. car. Being a powerful man, Horan offered a determined resistance to the officers, and at one time seemed on the point of getting the better of them; but force of numbers finally overpowered him, and he allowed bimself to be taken to the Grand Central Depot, where he wes put on a train for Middletown. Horan has the reputation of being one of the boldest criminals in the country. He played a prominent part in the Young bond robbery of bonds from Nos. 49 and 51 Nassan-st. two years ago, and is now said to be a figuitive from justice in Souch Carolina. The present charge is that on June 27 he robbed the Middletown Savings Bank of \$7,500 in money and \$56,000 in bonds. He only stayed a fortnight in Middletown prior to this robbery, passing under the name of Goorge S. Link.

REPORTS OF HURRICANES AT SEA. REPORTS OF HURRICANES AT SEA.

The ship Hagarstown, of Richmond, Maine, which arrived yesterday, met with heavy weather off the Cape of Good Hope from September 10 to September 20. The rudder post of the vessel was broken; sails were carried away and spars broken. In the upper works the timbers were so strained that the vessel leaked somewhat. On October 9 and 10 heavy northwest gales were met with, but no further damage was sustained.

The Norwegian bark Sostrene, from Havre, encountered a hurricane tectober 3, which lasted five days. The vessel lost its topgallant mast and sustained other injuries.

The Norwegian bark Elisa, from Plymouth, which arrived Friday, when in latitude 229, longitude 73°, passed part of a vessel of about 400 tons burden. Apparently it had been recently abandoned.

summer's work was reported as follows: Forty excursions between July 8 and September 16; 23,166 mothers and children enjoyed the benefits of fresh air. A dinner of meats, vegetables, bread, butter and tea was provided on the barge for mothers and the older children, and pure milk was furnished for the young children. Medicine also was provided. The cost was 314 cents for each person. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: B. B. Sherman, president; Dr. Mark Blumenthal, vice-president; William H. Guion, treasurer; and John P. Fawa, secretary.

YOUTHFUL PLAYERS IN "CINDERELLA." INTERFERENCE OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE PREVEN-TION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children having heard that a number of children were employed in the operatic spectacle "Cindercella," now running at Booth's Theatre, determined that the matter should be investigated. Henry Bergh at the same time learned that four Shetland ponies were used to draw Cindercella's charlot. Accordingly, in company with Elbridge T. Gerry, president of the society mentioned, Mr. Bergh went to the theatre Friday evening. Henry E. Abbey permitted them to go behind the scenes, where Mr. Bergh at once found that the ponies were well taken care of, and he departed well satisfied. But Mr. Gerry, after circulating among the actors and actresses and ballet for an hour or more learned that Kate Seymour, whom the programme describes taken eare of, and he departed well satisfied. But Mr. Gerry, after circulating among the actors and netresses and ballet for an hour or more learned that Kate Seymour, whom the programme describes as a "child wonder," was only thirteen years old. This maiden impersonates the fairy godmother, and introduces a song and dance in which she appears in a pretty little jockey dress. Mr. Gerry at once informed Henry C. Jarrett, manager of the company, that she must omit the song and dance, such performance by a child under sixteen years of age being expressly prohibited by the State law. The "baby premiere danseuse," Leontine, was also forbidden to continue her performances, although her mother, who is in the ballet, made an earnest appeal to Mr. Gerry. Mr. Gerry also looked to the interests of the boys and girls who promenade through the corridors of Prince Paragon's Palace of Pearls, as friends of Cinderella. He discovered that these "children" were of an age that placed them beyond his control. He nevertheless requested Mr. Abbey to provide suitable rests for them during the variety act, which lasts nearly an hour. Mr. Abbey at once gave an order to have the matter attended to.

A TRIBUNE reporter called at Boeth's Theatre last evening to learn the feeling of those interested in the matter. Mr. Jarrett was away, but Joseph II. Tooker, his business agent, said: "It is a bad thing for us to ston Katie Seymon's song and dance, and to remove Leontine from the cast. This entertainment was organized especially for ladies and children, and they fill the house every night. If we take Leontine and Katie out of the bill, we lose much of the attraction. I don't see why Gerry does not go into the orchestra and compel

and children, and they fill the house every hight. If we take Leontine and Katie out of the bill, we lose much of the attraction. I don't see why Gerry does not go into the orchestra and compel the ladies there to take their children home and put them to bed. They don't have to stay up to earn their living. It is my opinion that if the society would confine its attention to the poor children who are compelled by their parents to beg in the areet and to play violine and harps, and see that they are not beaten on returning home, it would do some good. Children in theatres always receive the best of care."

Salmi P. Morse, author of the "Passion Play," which is to be produced at Booth's after Mile, Bernhardt's engagement, called at the society's office yesterday to learn if an official permit could be seenred for a number of women to appear with their infants in the scene representing the nurder of the innocents. Mr. Gerry answered that he would decide after seeing the performance. There is a strong probability that after the first night the weeping infants will be doll babies provided with "squeaks." squeaks.

A STORM APPROACHING THE CITY. WIND AND RAIN IN THE WEST-WHAT THE SIGNAL

SERVICE REPORTS INDICATE.

A storm of unusual violence, accompanied by raio, which has been raging in the West for the last two days, is expected to reach this city this afternoon. On Friday the storm was felt at Cheyenne and many other points in the West, and in every case the temperature fell considerably. At Omaha there was even a slight fall of snow, although the mercury went down only 11°. Last evening the storm was central over Lake Michigan. At Fort Leavenworth, Kan., the temperature has fallen 30°, at Chicago 21°, and at Indianapolis 16°. Yesterday afternoon wind and showers of rain were reported from New-Orieans, La., Buffalo, N. Y., Burlington, V., and Erie, Peno. Storm signals have been ordered along the Atlantic coast, brisk southwest winds being expected.

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The telegraph companies have been suffering the damage incidental to a storm of any magnitude. Yesterday afternoon business was almost at a standstill at the various telegraph offices in this city. However, the damage caused a delay of a few hours only. The managers of the telegraph companies are of the opinion that the storm has passed over the great lakes, and will lose itself in the Atlantic Ocean in the neighborhood of Newfoundland. They do not expect any immediate change in the temperature of New-York City.

VISITING SITES FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Committee on Sites of the United States International Commission, composed of Samuel H. Haines, General Charles KI, Graham, E. R. Dickerson, Thomas McEirath, Thomas Rutter, Rafus Hatch, and Colonel Myer Aach yesterday afternoon visited the sites known as the Manhattansquare and Morning and Riverside Park sites. At the Manhattan-square site, the Committee was met by Professor Bickmore and Mr. Constable, one of the irustees of the Museum of Natural Hissory, Mans and plans were produced. The Committee then drove through that portion of Central Park meluded in the grounds, and afterward proceeded to the Hudson River front to ascertain the grade of the streets and the dockage facilities. The Committee afterward examined plans of the Morning and Riverside sites, showing the space to be occupied by the various buildings, and then rode over the entire grounds. The Committee proposes to visit other suggested sites next Saturday, and the following week will hear the advocates of those sites which have been visited, at the office of the Commission, No. 317 Broadway. VISITING SITES FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

SUICIDE OF A STREET-CAR CONDUCTOR. SUICIDE OF A STREET-CAR CONDUCTOR.

Frederick Lautze, age twenty-two, a conductor on the Sixth Avenue Railroad, cut his threat and held to death yesterday morning, at No. 338 East Forty-first-st. He came in after midnight, dejected because he lad lost S3, nearly two days' wages. His landlord's daughter, who met him at the door, tried to encourage him, but Lautze replied that he was tred of his work, and did not care to live any longer. Before the girl could realize that he was in carnest, he drew a razor from a cupboard and cut his throat. The young woman's shricks brought the inmates of the house to the room, but Lautze was beyond human aid. He died soon after.

SMALLPOX IN A BOARDING-HOUSE. SMALLPOX IN A BOARDING-HOUSE.

A case of smallpox was discovered by the Health Officers last wesk in an untown bearding-house, the location of which, as well as the name of the patient, they refuse to make public. The victim of the disease was a commercial agent who had just returned from a business tour to Pritsburg. On the way back he stopped at Phitadelphia, and there probably contracted the disease. Its character was discovered immediately after it had broken out, two weeks after the agent's arrival in this city, and he was at once removed to the Riverside Hospitai. The house was thoroughly funingated.

RETURN OF W. H. VANDERBILT. William H. Vanderbilt returned yesterday from Europe by the White Star Line steamer Britannic. His trip has lasted four months. The greater part of the time was spent in Paris. Yesterday after-noon Mr. Vanderbilt drove one of his favorite teams

A PROCESSION OF STEAMERS.

CLOSE OF THE OFFICIAL SESQUI-CENTENNIAL CELE-BRAITON OF BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 16 .- The official celebration of the settlement of Baltimore, 159 years ago, was celebrated to-day by a procession of steamers and tag boats. The tugs, about 100 in number, decorated, and many with bands of music, rendezvoused at Canton Hollow, above the Lazarette. The large ice boats, F. C. Latrobe, with the Mayor, Harbor Board, city officials and invited quests, including many ladies, and the Maryland, with members of the Board of Trade, the Corn and Flour Exchange, leading merchants and favited guests lay at the wharves at the foot of South-st.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the tug-boats, under command of Commodore Alexander Jones and Captain R. M. Speddings, as chief murshal, moved up the barbor, and when they reached South-st. the Latrobe, followed by the Maryland, led the procession down the harbor. At the same time a number of large hay steamers, all with each deck crowded with people, moved from their whatves and fell in the line, followed by the tugs. As the Latrobs passed the United States steamships Van-daila and Kearrarge, tying below Henderson's Wharf, he Vandalla fred a salute of seventeen guns, which was responded to by the whistles of the steamers and

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS. PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

Fifth Aronue Hotel—Senator J. D. Cameron, of Pennsylvania; Major D. G. Swaim, of Mentor, Ohio; Chauncey I. Filies, of St. Louis and Judge J. P. Putnam, of Boaton. Hotel Brunnelds—Viscount de Boudy and John Murroe, of Paris. Startgunt Howe—The Hon. Columbus Delano and colonet C. W. Moulton, of Ohio. Gissey invas—John C. New, of Indiana; ex Senator S. W. Dorsey, of Arkansas, and General T. G. Fitcher, U. S. M. Hodmen House—Senator B. K. Bruce, of Mississipp, and Lieutenant-Colonel Baron Faverot de Kerbreen and Cambrid de La Chèro, of Paris. "Findler Hotel—Colonel John Hay, of Cleveland... Victoria Hotel—John F. Smyth, of Albany.

NEW-YORK CITY. Sashes are worn with nearly all new costumes. Scarf-like draperies are on late imported cos

Peaches of the season of 1880 have disappeared from the market. "St. Lewis" flour is advertised in a Third-ave. grecer's window.

Deaths last week, 609; births, 552; marriages, 250. The police arrested 1,217 persons. Fringe and bands made of loops of chenille are in avor and make a soft and pretty trimming.

Building is increasing in the annexed district. One contractor has over 100 houses in hand. Embroidered cashmere in patterns of five yards each is sold for trimming plain cashmere dresses. Men and boys can still be seen bathing at the pier

along the East River, despite the chilliness water. Filling and grading One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-st. from Ninth-ave, to the Boulevard are in progress.

The hot water from the engines on the elevated roads often ruins a woman's silk dress or a man's best coat. Short dress skirts are made fuller this winter than the drapery is all more or is

New "trouserings" in a Bowery tailor's window are labelled "Superb," Oddly enough Southern gray predominates.

The body of a young woman about twenty years old was found in the North River yesterday. Ste was dressed in brown.

The attempt of a Chinaman to master the Yankee accomplishment of whistling is something fearful and wenderful to hear and behold.

The farmers, who have been accustomed to use part of Fourteenth-st, as a market are now pre-vented by the vigilance of the police. Thomas Dolan, of Third-ave, and One-hundred-and-thirtieth-st., was drowned in the Hudson River Monday. His body was found yesterday.

Pen and ink sketches by Sarah Bernhardt are lisplayed in the Park Theatre. They represent cenes in which the divine sinuosity appears. The average weight of newspaper matter forwarded from the New-York Post Office during the past three months was twenty-five tons a day.

The sanken lots betw en One-hundred-and-forty-eighth and One-hundred-and-lifty-lirst-sts, and Seventh and Eighth-aves, have been filled up and PATIENCE FOR 5 CENTS.

The steps of the City Hall Station of the Elevated Rathrond are crowded just before 5 p. m. by persons waiting for the rate of fare to be changed from 10

Mrs. Tom-Ri-Jon, mother of Revenger and Retaliation, has blossomed out in Broadway again with a new suit. She is particular y proud of the cut of her treasers.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE NELCON COURT-The Nelson court-martial yesterday received the estimony of Major H. R. Mizner, Str Infantry, as to the good character of the accused man. The Court, after reading and correcting the records, ad-journed until November 16.

SEARCHING FOR A MISSING WIFE.

Denis Ryan, a former employe of the Sixth Avenue
Railroad, who two years ago was comp-lied to go
to England for his heaith, is searching the city for
his wire, Margaret, who in his absence found employment as a servant girl and whom he cannot
now find.

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NOT YET ACCUSTOMED TO II.

Vincent Mayelski, a shoemaker at No. 441 East Seventy-sixth-st., who has repeatedly charged policemen with clubbing him, complained yesterday to Superintendent Walling that he had been clubbed again by two policemen, who dragged him from his own stoop and abused him shamefully. The matter with he investigated will be investigated.

will be investigated.

NOT RECEIVED AT THE ROSPITAL.

John Bellering, a sailor, just arrived from New-Orleaus, became ill with fever Tuesday in his boarding-house, at No. 136 Franklin-st. He died in the carriage on the way to the hospital. It is charged that he was refused admission to the Bellevue and Chambers Street Hospitals for fear that he had yellow fever. It proved to be Chagres fever.

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ANNIVERSARY OF ST. LUKE'S HOME.

The anniversary exercises of St. Luke's Home for Indigent Christian Females, at Madison-ave, and Eighty-ninth-st., will take piece to-morrow at 2 p.m., in the Church of the Beloved Disciple, adjoining the Home. The institution will be open to visitors from II o'clock. Fancy and useful articles, many of them the work of the inmates, will be offered for sale. MRS. LANGBEIN HELD IN \$2,000 BAIL.

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Justice Morran, in the Essex Market Police Court yesterday atternoon, held Mrs. Louisa Langbein, the mother of Civil Justice J. C. J. Langbein, in default of \$2,000, on two charges of assault and battery. On Sunday, September 19, Mrs. Langbein threw hot water on Abraham Enoch, age nine, of No. 101 Norfolk-st., and Philip Morris, six years of age, of No. 107 Norfolk-st. Bail was furnished.

age, of No. 107 Noriolk-st. Bail was furnished.

DRIVEN FROM THE PROFESSION BY OLD AGE.
Dr. Herman Muhr, of No. 61 Kivington-st., has been gradually growing blind for some time. Yesterday a death certificate issued by him was received at the Bureau of Vital Statistics. Accominanying it was the following note to the Register, written with a dull penell across a scrap of paper: "Dr. Narle-Dear Sir-I am now entirely blind, and could not write the certificate myself. I write this note without seeing anything. It is my last case, as I am to retire, and probably to be operated upon." The rest of the notice, save the name, Herman Muhr, was thegistle.

BROOKLYN. BROOKLYN.

John Walter, age thirty-five, of No. 181 Stagg-st., in a quarrel on June 28 knocked down Michael Ulrich, whose head struck on the sidewalk. Yes-terday morning Ulrich died from his jujuries and Officers Campbell and Hine, of the Sixth Precinct, arrested Walter.

Thomas Pyle, an Englishman, forty-seven years old, of No. 190 Throop-ave., who has been in the habit of getting drunk and beating his wife, yesterday extended his attentions to his father-in-law, Thomas McCaffrey, seventy-three years old, mjuring him internally and about the face. Pyle was arrested. McCaffrey was taken to a hospital. JERSEY CITY.

A desperate fight took place at 2 o'clock yester-day merning between Francisco Thoma, an Italian tailor, and his wife, in their rooms at No. 89 Railroad-ave. During the affray the man seized a razer and attempted to at his wife's throat. Sie screamed for help and defended terself with a beer glass, enting her husband's head open. Patrolman Flannagan arrested Thoma and he was arraigned before Justice Pelouhet yesterday. He was sent to jail in default of \$500 bonds to await trial. NEWARK.

NEWARS.

Bishop Corrigan, of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Newark, yesterday received from the Cardinal Prefect of the Propaganda, Cardinal Simeoni, a letter formally giving him notice of his appointment as conductor arcabishop to Cardinal McCloskey. The letter, which is written in Latin, is dated September 30. The apostolic brief will be received in a few days. few days. STATEN ISLAND.

PORT RICHMOND.—The total receipts for the past year of the free school at Port Richmond were, with the balance on hand, \$6,525 76, while the expenses

New-Brighton.—Three young men from New-York were arrested at New-Brighton Friday night, for stealing a watch from a crunken man sleeping in the highway. The prisoners will have an exam-ination before Justice Seaton.

HUDSON RIVER TOWNS. WILLIAMSBRIDGE.—The town of Williamsbridge is entirely free from debt, the school bond having been entirely paid up. With the year ending Sep-tember 39, there was a surplus of \$1,150 in the

Treasury.

Tuckahor.—Three lads, who gave their names as Thomas L. Crotty, age sixteen; Frederick Wood-rich, age sixteen, and Patrick White, age fifteen, of Tuckahor, were lodged in the County Jan at White Planes yesterday, on a charge of having brutally assaulted Miss Josephine Augusta Masterton, of Bronxville.

CHOICE SILKS AND FINE LACES.

The firm of John Daniell & Son, at Broadway and Eighth-st., has long been noted for the quality of its silks and frammones. The silk departments this full contain an unusually large assortment of silks, satins and broudes in new designs. Veivet broudes are particularly beautiful and are more varied in design than ever before. The satin brocades show the rich colors and large designs; for instance, a cream-white atin with large sunflowers in rich gold and brown colors is one of the many odd yet beautiful patterns.

Among the new goods pinsh must not be forgotten, as it takes its piece among the favorite trimmings, and is not only used as a trimming, but frequently forms the basque and stirt of a costume. It is shown here in busque and soft of a costude. The shades gros-grain silks are of excellent quality and moderate in price. Lace is, a specialty of this drop, and there are new exalinted and the new tyler, both real and indication. The military department contains a large assortment of hats and bonnets in new shapes; but more attention is paid to the trimmines and ornaments used in trimming than to the

bonnets themselves. A large stock of ostrich feathers and tips is shown, at very low prices. The stock of ribbons is large and varied, and contains saskes and scarfs in styles which are so fashionable just now. In hosiery the latest stockings are in plain solid colors with contrasting clocks, or in French ribbed style, showing many different colors. Silk hose are heavily embroidered on the instep and up the front, or lace is inserted and then embroidered.

THE EPIZOOTY IN NEW-JERSEY.

Long Branch, N. J., Oct. 16 .- In the last lew days the epizooty has broken out to an alarming extent in several towns along the coast. In one large stable at Asbury Park all the cattle are sick, but as yet no case has proved fatal. All of the stage horses of Sheriff Hendrickson, at Red Bank, have been sick with the malacy, but are now improving. The horses in Long Branch, Freehold and Keyport stables have had a mild attack of the disease, one fatal case only being

REORGANIZATION OF THE READING.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 15 .- Thomas W. Powell, the representative of the English bondholders of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad had a consultation to-day with Mesers. Lewis & Caldwell, two of the receivers of the Reading Company. They agreed to call a meeting of directors, to discuss a reor-ganization of the Reading Raliroad and Coal companies.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sandy Hook., 6:41 | Gov. Island., 7:29 | Hell Gate 9:18 Sandy Hook., 7:01 | Gov. Island., 7:42-4:51 Gate 9:31

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Glozener, J E McKee, Mr
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Hoymen, the Rev W Morgan, D P
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Hart-Mrs H
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Nutrail, J R
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Porter, W R
Palacios, B
Prescott, Mr
Mrs C B
and Miss
Master
Reed, Dr T B
Rainhow, Miss
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SHIP NEWS. PORT OF NEW-YORK OCT, 16, ARRIVED.

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Sir Richmond, Stevens, Norfolk, to Old Dominion Ss Co.

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Sir Break water, Gibbs, Norfolk, to Old Dominion Ss Co.

Ship Fidelia Ger, Schutte, Hamburg S7 days, with indee to order, vessel to Theo Ruger.

Ship Living for Yarmouth, N. St. Perry. Liverpool 39 days, with midse to order, vessel to Boyd & Hinekey.

Ship High McNett (of Thomaston), Morion, Hull 35 days in billast to Snow & Burgess.

Ship Hagarstown of Richmond, Me), Whitmore, Manila 159 days, with sugar, homp, etc. to order, vessel to James W El
well & Co. Co. Ariel (Nor), Potersen, Sharpness 30 days, in ballast to

"Ship Ariel (Nor), Potersen, Sharpness 30 days, in ballast to Bockmann, Oerlein & Co.

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Hors Olivari (1141), Molfino, Amsterdam 50 days, with centry barries to order vessel to Austin Bahlwin & Co.

Hars Francesco Calcoto (1141), Porzio, Lisbon 61 days, with salt to order, vessel to Secarer Hors, Selection, in Barries Nova Scotta (of Wimbor, N. S.), Le Cain, Hamburg 32 days, with mannic salt to order, vessel to J. W. Parkir & Co.

Hark Sorah S tidgeway, Townsend, of and from Patiadelphia, its ballast to Vernon J. Brown & Co.

Barr Sostrone (Nor), Foyn, Havre 24 days, in ballast to Famel, Edve & Co. Hark Sostrone (Nor), Forp, Havre 24 days, in ballist to Fanch, Edve & Co. Hark Amietha (Nor), Reimers, Newry 29 days, in ballast to Sonham, Pickering & Co. Hark Amietha (Anot), Soich, Tralee 38 days, in ballast to Slocovich & Co. Bara Holmestrand (Nor), Jacobsen, Coruna 38 days, in ballast to Slocovich & Co. Hark Holmestrand (Nor), Machandelson, Copenhagen 36 days days (nor Grendloven, Nor), Nathandelson, Copenhagen 36 days

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Seir Chas Thompson, Odeli, St John, N. B., with lath to A. T. Heney. Hency, Berry (of Machias), Perry, Grand Ance, with spilr Sector, of and 12 days from St John, N B, with spiling moved lives. to scanniel Bros.
sein Mary Lisen, Crocker, Fernandina 16 days, with lumber to order vessel to Chase. Talbot & Co.
sehr Kensett, Guptil, Exmouth 30 days, in bullast to F Talbot & Co.

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schr J I, Crossley, Dexter, of and 10 days from Windsor, N

with plaster to C W hertaux.

schr Jose Smith, Whiting, Me, with lumber to Simpson,
Tapp & Co.

schr Engyre, Fletcher, Bangor, with lumber to order.

Schr Sea Feam, Scott, Bangor, with lumber to order.

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Schr Paterson & Bush, Miner, Virginia, with potatoes,

Schr Uchwood, Alien, Richmend, with coal for Albany,

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SUNSET—WIND—At Sandy Hook, moderate, S. cloudy, and thee off shore. At City Island, strong, 2-W; cloudy.

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SITS Victoria (Br), Murray London, Henderson Bros: Egypt (Br), Grogan, Liverpool, F. W. J. Hurst: City of thester (Br), Brooks, Liverpool via Queenstown, John G. Dale; Kate Fawcett (Br), Hedge, Hull. Henham, Fickering & C. Anchoria (Br), Hedderwick, Glasgow, Henderson Bros. Neckar (Ger), Willigerod, Bromen and Southsanton, Octricha & Ger, Freja (Dam, Johanson, Havre, Funch, Edye & Co. Fowhattan (Br), Jarvis, Mediterranean Ports, Phelos Bros. & Co. Newfrigans, Hensey, New Orieans, Clark & Saman, Morgan City, Adams, New-Orleans, Bogert & Morgan; Henefactor, Jones, Wilmington, Win P. Clyde & Co. Geo W. Clym, Wienett, Charleston, J. W. Quintard & Co. John Ghbson, Traxers, Georgetow, via Alexandtia, Va, J. L. Roome, Jr. City of Macon, Kempton, Savannah, Geo Yoage, City of San Antonio, Barrows, Key West and Gaiveston, C. H. Milbery & Co. Hatteras, Boaz, West Pount, Va. Old Dominion Sa Co. May flower, Davidson, Philadelphia, Win P. Clyde & Co. Josephine Thomson, Morre, Baltimore, J. S. Krems, Nerven, Hallett, Boston, H. P. Dimock.

Ships General McChellan, Wheeler, San Francisco, Sutton & Co. Fewpa (Nor), Noed, Hamburg, Benham, Pickering & Co. Barris Folkyang (Nor), Henriksen, Dunkirk, Bockmann, Barris Folkyang (Nor), Henriksen, Dunkirk, Bockmann,

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Break water, Nellie G Troop, Portland, Scuthern Belle, the latter for Bultmore, 18th met, Dipton, Germaine, the latter for Savannah, Heien Sanda, Taganadan, the latter for Southern Para, Thomas Perry for New York, Veronica, Arrived 4th met, Navigatore at Tarlia; 10th inst, Concessione, Mary T Kimball, Medbor; 11th inst, Sprg. 15th inst, Sed, Remittent, Une latter at Falmouth; 16th thet, Campoeli, Cato.

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